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Docket No. GC477C1



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Wang et al.

Serial No.: 09/273,957

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For: Novel Phenol Oxidizing Enzyme
Enzymes

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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Primary Examiner's decision dated May 21, 2002, finally rejecting Claims 8-11 and 59-65.

- ☐ An appeal fee is not required.
- ☒ Please charge the appeal fee of \$310.00 to Deposit Account No. 07-1048.
- ☐ Appellant's Brief
 - ☐ accompanies this notice.
 - ☐ will be submitted with two months from the date of the notice of appeal under §1.191 or within the time allowed for response to the action appealed from, if such time is later.
- ☐ Please charge the request for filing the brief of \$310.00 to Deposit Account No. 07-1048.

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- ☐ Appellant requests an oral hearing.
- ☐ Please charge the request for oral hearing of \$270.00 to Deposit Account No. 07-1048.
- ☒ An extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to respond to the final rejection is enclosed for three months, to and including November 21, 2002.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1048 (Docket No. GC477-C1). This paper is being submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,



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